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WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

structure, comprising: at least two electrodes, fixing surfaces each associated with one of said at least two selectrodes, an electrophoretic layer disposed in the cell and comprising an insulating liquid and colored charged particles disposed in the electrophoretic layer, and voltage application means for applying a voltage between the electrodes thereby causing migration of the colored charged particles toward and collective attachment onto one of the fixing surfaces; wherein at least one of the fixing surfaces and the colored charged particles is provided with an adhesive layer allowing repetitive attachment thereto and separation therefrom of the colored charged particles.

A display device according to Claim 1.

Wherein said adhesive layer comprises a polymer having
a glass transition temperature (Tg) of -35 °C to +35

°C and comprising at least one polymer spacies
selected from the group consisting of
poly(meth)acrylate esters, poly(meth)acrylic acid
poly(meth)acrylanitrile, poly(meth)acrylamide,

25 polyvinyl esters and polyvinyl ethers.

3. A display device according to Claim 1.

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wherein said fixing surfaces are each given as a surface of one of said at least two electrodes.

- 4. A display device according to Claim 1.

 5 wherein said insulating liquid has a volumetric resistivity of at least 10¹² ohm.cm.
- 5. A display device according to Claim 1, wherein said two electrodes are oppositely disposed in the cell structure so as to allow vertical movement of the colored charged particles between the electrodes.
- 6. A display device according to Claim 1,

 wherein said two electrodes are disposed on an
 identical plane in the cell structure so as to allow
 horizontal movement parallel to the plane of the
 colored charged particles.
- 7. An electrophoretic display device of a cell structure, comprising: at least two electrodes, fixing surfaces each associated with one of said at least two electrodes, an electrophoretic layer disposed in the cell and comprising an insulating liquid and colored charged particles disposed in the electrophoretic layer, and voltage application means for applying a voltage between the electrodes thereby causing

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migration of the colored charged particles toward and collective attachment onto one of the fixing surfaces; wherein the fixing surfaces are provided with a charged film having a constant surface charge of a polarity opposite to that of the colored charged particles.

- 8. A display device according to Claim 7.

 wherein said charged film is formed on the fixing
 10 surfaces given by the electrodes.
 - y A display device according to Claim 7. wherein said charged film comprises a ferroelectric material or an electret material.

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10. A display device according to Claim 7, wherein said insulating liquid has a volumetric resistivity of at least 10^{12} ohm.cm.

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11. A display device according to Claim 7, wherein said two electrodes are oppositely disposed in the cell structure so as to allow vertical movement of the colored charged particles between the electrodes.

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12. A display device according to Claim 7, wherein said two electrodes are disposed on an



identical plane in the cell structure so as to allow horizontal movement parallel to the plane of the colored charged particles.

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